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BERLIN TELECONS, (D) MARCH 6 SCHEDULE (E) USBERLIN 0544

1. BELOW IS WORKING SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
JUANITA M. KREPS WEST BERLIN VISIT. ALL SECTIONS
INVOLVING WEST BERLIN GOVERNMENT AND OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN
COORDINATED WITH THEM.

2. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12:

A. 1130 - ARRIVE WEST BERLIN, TEMPELHOF AIRPORT (IN AMERICAN
SECTOR). NO REPEAT NO CUSTOMS OR IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES.
- MET BY UNITED STATES AND WEST BERLIN OFFICIALS.

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- OPPORTUNITY FOR PRESS COVERAGE OF ARRIVAL, IF SECRETARY
SO DESIRES.
B. 1140 - SECRETARY KREPS PROCEEDS BY MOTORCADE TO
AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE. OTHER MEMBERS OF PARTY PROCEED TO
HILTON HOTEL. SENAT PLANS FURNISH POLICE ESCORTS FOR MOTOR-
CADE, A REQUIREMENT FOR VISITOR HOLDING CABINET RANK.
C. 1300 - LUNCH, RESIDENCE.

D. NO FUNCTIONS FOR REMAINDER OF DAY.
E. NOTE: CONTROL ROOM TO BE SET UP AT HILTON HOTEL.
U.S. MISSION VEHICLES AVAILABLE FOR USE OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL PARTY DURING AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

3. THURSDAY, APRIL 13:

A. 0830 - BRIEFING BY AMBASSADOR SOTESSEL AND UNITED
STATE MISSION STAFF AT UNITED STATES MISSION.
B. 1000 - CALL ON GOVERNING MAYOR DIETRICH STOBBE AND
MAYOR AND ECONOMICS SENATOR WOLFGANG LUEDER AT SCHOENEBERG
CITY HALL. (PLEASE ADVISE NAMES OF ANY MEMBERS OF
SECRETARY'S PARTY SHE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE AT THIS MEETING.)
C. 1100-1145 - SENAT RECOMMENDS TRADITIONAL, SHORT
GOLDEN BOOK SIGNING CEREMONY IN MAIN HALL OF SCHOENEBERG
CITY HALL, PLACE WHERE PRESIDENT KENNEDY GAVE HISTORIC
SPEECH TO BERLINERS. ALL MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL PARTY TO BE
INVITED. APPROXIMATELY 150 GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS AND
DIPLOMATIC OFFICIALS WOULD BE INVITED.
(D) OPPORTUNITY FOR MEDIA COVERAGE OF SECRETARY'S SIGNING
THE GOLDEN BOOK.
(E) NOTE: IF SECRETARY AGREES TO GOLDEN BOOK SIGNING
CEREMONY, SHE WOULD BE ASKED TO DELIVER BRIEF REMARKS
(WHICH WOULD BE TRANSLATED INTO GERMAN IN ADVANCE BY
U.S. MISSION). SENAT WOULD PROVIDE INTERPRETER.
(F) 1150 - PROCEED TO HILTON HOTEL.
(B) 1200 - LUNCHEON AND ADDRESS BEFORE 75TH ANNIVERSARY
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MEETING OF AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN GERMANY (HILTON
HOTEL). USIS CAN PROVIDE GERMAN TEXT OF SPEECH TO ATTENDEES
IF DEISRED. THIS IS RECOMMENDED. TO ENSURE ACCURATE
TRANSLATION AND OPTIMAL DISTRIBUTION, TEXT OF SPEECH SHOULD
BE CABLED TO USBER CONSIDERABLY IN ADVANCE OF SECRETARY'S
ARRIVAL.

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H. 1430 - DEPART HILTON HOTEL FOR TOUR OF CITY (WITH OFFICIAL PARTY). SENAT WILL PROVIDE SPECIAL BUSES. MAYOR AND ECONOMICS SENATOR WOLFGANG LUEDER PLANS ESCORT. NOTE: SENAT WISHES TO KNOW THE SECRETARY'S PREFERENCES FOR VISITING THE BERLIN WALL. OPTIONS INCLUDE (1) DRIVING PAST THE WALL, (2) STOPPING AT WALL WITH OPPORTUNITY FOR VIEWING FROM PLATFORM (TRADITIONAL), (3) PRESS COVERAGE (TRADITIONAL) OR NONE.

I. 1630 - SENAT SUGGESTS MEETING WITH EC COMMISSION PRESIDENT JENKINS (SEE USBERLIN 0544). ALTERNATIVE IS VISIT TO IBM WHICH MISSION HAS BEEN TOLD INFORMALLY BY THE SENAT WAS PROPOSED BY IBM PRESIDENT WALTHER BOESENBERG OF STUTTGART IN RECENT LETTER TO SECRETARY KREPS. PLEASE ADVISE.

J. 1730 - RETURN TO RESIDENCE; REST AND PREPARE FOR DINNER.

K. 1900 - DINNER HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR STOESSEL ATTENDED LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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BY PROMINENT BERLIN OFFICIALS AND BUSINESS PERSONS. NOTE: THE SENAT NOTES THAT THE GOVERNING MAYOR WOULD BE UNABLE TO ATTEND DINNER AS HE IS OPENING THE WORLD ENERGY CONFERENCE IN BERLIN THIS EVENING.

4. FRIDAY, APRIL 14:

A. 0945 - PRESS CONFERENCE. DETAILS TO BE WORKED OUT WITH ADVANCE PRESS OFFICER TOM BELL DURING HIS VISIT HERE MARCH 28-29.

B. 1100 - MEETING WITH GRAF LAMBSDORFF, FRG MINISTER OF ECONOMICS.

C. NOTE: SENAT OFFERS ITS VIP VILLA AT MENZELSTRASSE 12 FOR THIS MEETING. SENAT SAYS MINISTER LAMBSDORFF AMENABLE TO THIS SUGGESTION. VILLA LOCATED IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION

OF BERLIN IN SAME GENERAL AREA AS AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.
VILLA AFFORDS PRIVACY IN BEAUTIFUL SURROUNDINGS. PLEASE
ADVISE IF THIS AGREEABLE TO SECRETARY.

D. 1215 - THE SECRETARY AND MINISTER LAMBSDORFF PROCEED
TO SECOND AMERICAN CHAMBER LUNCHEON AT HILTON HOTEL.
MINISTER LAMBSDORFF IS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER.

E. 1500 - MEETING WITH TWENTY-FIVE SENIOR AMERICAN CHAMBER
BUSINESS PERSONS IN PRIVATE ROOM AT HILTON HOTEL (BY
AMBASSADORIAL INVITATION ONLY).

F. 1630 - RETURN TO AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE; REST AND
PREPARE FOR EVENING ACTIVITIES.

G. DETAILS OF EVENING PROGRAM STILL UNDER DEVELOPMENT.
SEPARATE FOLLOWS.

5. SATURDAY, APRIL 15:

A. 0925 - CHIEF OF PROTOCOL OF BERLIN SENAT JOINS PARTY
AT RESIDENCE TO ACCOMPANY SECRETARY TO AIRPORT.

B. 0930 - THE SECRETARY PROCEEDS FROM THE RESIDENCE TO
TEMPELHOF AIRPORT WHERE UNITED STATES AND BERLIN SENAT
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OFFICIALS WILL BE PRESENT AT DEPARTURE.

C. 1000 - WHEELS UP, WEST BERLIN, EN ROUTE DENMARK.

6. ACTION REQUESTED: USDOC IS REQUESTED TO TAKE UP THE
VARIOUS QUESTIONS RAISED IN FOREGOING WITH THE SECRETARY
ASAP AND ADVISE HER PREFERENCES. MOST IMPORTANT QUESTIONS
ARE GOLDEN BOOK CEREMONY, WALL VISITS, JENKINS AND MINISTER
LAMBSDORFF MEETINGS. GEORGE

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